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AMENDMENT AND REPLY

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In complete response to the Official Action mailed on August 12, 2002, please
amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph at page 16, line 32 to page 17, line 2 as follows:

Figure 2: detection of human IFN- β in the blood of mice injected with pTG13102.

Bars are mean values +/- sem of 3 determinations (3 mice per group). White bars : after
injection of plasmid prepared in NaCl 0.9%. Black bars : after administration of plasmid
with adjuvants described in the text. Figure 2A : injections in SCID mice. Figure 2B :
in immunocompetent C57BI/10 mice.